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SUBJECT: NIGHT REACH-FUEL REQUIREMENTS FOR AIRCRAFT

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1. FOLLOWING FURTHER COMMUNICATION WITH CALTEX KARACHI, CONGEN WISHES INFORM ADDRESSEES MODIFICATION CRITERIA FOR REFUELING AT KARACHI AS GIVEN REF A.

2. SINCE U.S. MILITARY AIRCRAFT CONSIDERED AS NON-SCHEDULED CARRIERS FOR PURPOSE FUEL ALLOCATION, THE SCHEDULED CARRIER ALLOCATION (OF SEPTEMBER CONSUMPTION MINUS 5 PERCENT DESCRIBED REF A) WILL NOT REPEAT NOT BE APPLICABLE. ACCORDING PRESENT DGCA FUEL ALLOCATION RULES NON-SCHEDULED CARRIERS ARE TO BE GIVEN SUFFICIENT FUEL TO REACH THEIR NEXT DESTINATION.

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3. CONGEN OFF HAS INFORMALLY CONTACTED OFFICIAL INGCA CONCERNED WITH FUEL ALLOCATION, WHO INFORMED US NON-SCHEDULES IN FACT BEING GIVEN ENOUGH FUEL FOR NEXT DESTINATION PLUS 45 MINUTES EXTRA FLYING TIME AS SAFETY FACTOR. DGCA OFFICIAL EXPRESSED HOPE THAT MILITARY AIRCRAFT WOULD BE LOADING AS MUCH FUEL AS POSSIBLE AT STOPS BEFORE KARACHI OWING TO PROBABILITY SHORT SUPPLY JP-1, BUT DID NOT ANTICIPATE ANY FURTHER CUT FROM PRESENT ALLOCATIONS. HE EXPRESSED UNDERSTANDING OF POLITICAL IMPORTANCE UPCOMING USAF FLIGHTS CARRYING UN TROOPS AND SAID HE WOULD TALK WITH OPERATIONAL OFFICER AT AIRPORT IN CHARGE OF FUEL ALLOCATION.

COMMENT:

4. TO DATE CALTEX HAS HAD NO DIFFICULTY IN SUPPLYING C-141 FLIGHTS WITH REQUIRED FUEL. UNDER CIRCUMSTANCES DESCRIBED ABOVE, WE CONTINUE ANTICIPATE ADEQUATE FUEL SUPPLIES FOR FUTURE FLIGHTS.
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